

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SHAWN MCKEE,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:25-cv-00362-SAB

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO
PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS* AND
DIRECTING CLERK OF COURT TO ISSUE
SUMMONS AND SERVE DEFENDANT
UNDER E-SERVICE PROGRAM

(ECF No. 2)

Plaintiff filed a complaint on March 27, 2025, challenging a final decision of the Commissioner of Social Security denying an application for benefits. Plaintiff did not pay the filing fee in this action and instead filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

The Court finds Plaintiff's application demonstrates entitlement to proceed without prepayment of fees. Therefore, the Court shall order that the complaint in this action be served, pursuant to paragraph 1 of the scheduling order to be issued in this action, which provides that service on the Defendant shall proceed under the Court's e-service program.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 2) is GRANTED;
2. The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to issue a summons and new case documents; and

- 1 3. The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to deliver to the Commissioner of Social
2 Security Administration and the United States Attorney's Office at their
3 designated email addresses, a notice of electronic filing of this action along with
4 the summons and complaint.

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6 IT IS SO ORDERED.

7 Dated: March 28, 2025

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stanley A. Boone", is written over a horizontal line.

STANLEY A. BOONE
United States Magistrate Judge